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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the non-final Office Action dated January 28, 2008 ("the OA"), Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments and consideration of the remarks set forth herein. A response was initially due April 28, 2008. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a three month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to July 28, 2008. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

The following documents are enclosed herewith:

- Transmittal letter, petition for a three month extension of time;